

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Jeffrey Olson et al. Art Unit : 1637
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VARIANCES

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PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief dated May 15, 2007, be extended for one month to and including July 16, 2007 (July 15, 2007 being a Sunday).

The required fee in the amount of \$60 is submitted herewith via EFS by way of Deposit Account authorization. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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